

FRANCIS GORE, ESQUIRE, LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR.

which said oath, shall be taken before any of His Majesty's Justices of the Peace, in and for the District for which such Commissioners shall be appointed, and a certificate of such oath, the Justice administering the same, is hereby required, to transmit to the office of the Governor, Lieut. Governor, or person administering the Government of this Province, with all convenient speed, after such oath shall have been by him administered.

Money granted shall be paid by Recr. Genl. in discharge of Warrt. issued by the Governor

XIV. *And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid,* That the money hereby granted to His Majesty, shall be paid by the Receiver General, in discharge of such warrant or warrants, as shall for the purpose herein set forth be issued by the Governor, Lieut. Governor, or person administering the Government of this Province, and shall be accounted for by the Receiver General of this Province, to His Majesty, His Heirs and Successors, through the Lords Commissioners of His Treasury for the time being, in such manner and form as His Majesty, His Heirs and Successors, shall be graciously pleased to direct.

To be accounted for to His Majy. through the Lords Commrs of his Treasury.

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CHAP. XL.

*An Act to appropriate a Sum of Money to defray the expences of any Commission for ascertaining Titles to Lands in the Niagara District, which shall or may be authorised by any Act of the Parliament of this Province.*

[*Passed 1st April, 1816.*]

MOST GRACIOUS SOVEREIGN,

Preamble.

**W**HEREAS it is necessary to provide means for carrying into effect the provisions of an Act, passed during the present session of Parliament, entitled "an Act, to afford relief to persons holding or possessing lands, tenements, or hereditaments, in the District of Niagara; *And be it enacted,* by the King's Most Excellent Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and Assembly, of the Province of Upper Canada, constituted and assembled, by virtue of, and under the authority of an Act, passed in the Parliament of Great Britain, entitled, an Act to repeal certain parts of an Act, passed in the fourteenth year of His Majesty's Reign, entitled, an Act for making more effectual Provision for the Government of the Province of Quebec, in North America, and to make further Provision for the Government of the said Province," and by the authority of the same, That from and out of the Rates and Duties already raised and collected, or hereafter to be raised and collected, to and for the uses of this Province, there be granted to His Majesty, His Heirs and Successors, the sum of One Thousand Pounds, to be issued out of the funds now remaining, or hereafter to come into the Receiver General's hands unappropriated, and arising from such rates and duties as last aforesaid, which sum of one thousand pounds, shall be applied and disposed of, in carrying the provi-

£1000 granted for carrying into effect the provisions of an Act entitled "An Act to afford relief to persons holding or possessing lands, tenements or he-

sions of the said recited Act into effect, in such manner as shall be directed by the Governor, Lieut. Governor, or person administering the Government for the time being, and shall be paid by the Receiver General, in discharge of such warrant or warrants, as shall for the purpose herein set forth, be from time to time issued by the Governor, Lieut. Governor, or person administering the Government of this Province for the time being, and shall be accounted for to His Majesty, His Heirs and Successors, through the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury, in such manner and form as His Majesty, His Heirs and Successors shall be pleased to direct.

redits, in the District of Niagara."

To be paid by the Recr. Genl. in discharge of such Warrant as shall be issued for that purpose.

and to be accounted for through the Lords Comrs. of the Treasury.

## CHAP. XLI.

An Act to repeal and amend part of an Act passed in the Fiftieth year of His Majesty's Reign, entitled "An Act to provide for the laying out, amending and keeping in repair the Public Highways and Roads in this Province, and to repeal the Laws now in force for that purpose." [Passed 1st April, 1816.]

**W**HEREAS, it is expedient to repeal certain parts of an Act passed in the Fiftieth year of His Majesty's Reign, entitled "An Act to provide for the laying out, amending and keeping in repair the Public Highways and Roads in this Province, and to repeal the Laws now in force for that purpose." *BE it enacted*, by the King's Most Excellent Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and Assembly, of the Province of Upper Canada, constituted and assembled, by virtue of, and under the authority of an Act, passed in the Parliament of Great Britain, entitled "An Act to repeal certain parts of an Act, passed in the fourteenth year of His Majesty's Reign, entitled, An Act for making more effectual Provision for the Government of the Province of Quebec, in North America, and to make further Provision for the Government of the said Province," and by the authority of the same, That the Eighteenth and Twenty-sixth Clauses of the aforesaid recited Act shall be and the same are hereby repealed.

Preamble.

18 & 26th Clauses of 50th Geo. 3d repealed.

*II. And be it enacted by the authority aforesaid*, That any person liable to perform the duty imposed by the before recited Act, may compound for such duty, if he or she may think fit, by paying to the overseer the sum of ten shillings for each cart, waggon, team and driver, for each day, and every person liable to perform such labor, may compound for the same, if he or she shall think fit, by paying to the overseers the sum of five shillings, for and in lieu of each days duty, or labor respectively, at the time and in the manner directed by the aforesaid recited Act; *Provided always*, That every Male Inhabitant from the age of twenty-one years, to fifty, not rated on the assessment for any town, township or place within this Province, shall be compelled to work on the Highways, three days in every year, within the township, town or place he may reside in, under the same penalty as is imposed by any Act, on persons rated on the Assessment List, and in case any person shall remove from one township to another, the overseer of the Highways, shall grant him a certificate of the labor he has performed, to prevent his being called out again in an other township during the same year.

Any person liable to perform duty may compound, as herein mentioned.

Every male Inhabitant from the age of 21 to 50 not rated on the Assessment, shall work on the Highways three days.

Penalty for refusal.

In case any person shall remove to another Township, Overseer to grant him a Certificate.